

Disability Services for Students at The University of Montana -Missoula

**2006 SUMMER TRANSITION SEMINAR
FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
WITH DISABILITIES**

**Are you thinking about going to college after high school?
Do you want to get ready for college?**

The University of Montana offers a Transition Seminar designed for Montana junior and senior high school students with disabilities. The two and a half day seminar will be conducted at The University of Montana in Missoula on **June 21-June 23, 2006**.

During the Transition Seminar you will:

- (1) obtain practical knowledge of disability rights and responsibilities in higher education.
- (2) learn how assistive technology can aid in accessing and managing academic and vocational goals.
- (3) gain the skills to communicate effectively with professors and staff.
- (4) learn about resources such as Montana Vocational Rehabilitation and Summit Independent Living Center.
- (5) experience college campus and dormitory life.
- (6) meet current college students with disabilities to discuss the types of challenges they face.

Schedule of Events

Wednesday, June 21

10:30 a.m. Check-in Starts
12:00 p.m. Lunch provided
1:00 p.m. -5:00 p.m. Sessions

Thursday, June 22

9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Sessions
12:00 p.m. Lunch provided
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sessions

Friday, June 23

9:00 a.m. Session starts
12:00 p.m. The seminar closes

Session include: "Differences in IEP and IPE," "No IDEA? Try ADA," "Meeting with college students with disabilities," and "Scavenger Hunt: Access on Campus."

Registration fees

\$185 (includes all materials and meals during the seminar and lodging for the nights of June 21 and 22)

Note: Scholarships may be available from Disability Services for Students. If you are served by Vocational Rehabilitation Services, contact your Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor. Voc Rehab may provide you with financial support.

**Registration Deadline: April 20, 2006
Extended to May 8th, 2006**

For more information and registration, contact Mika Watanabe-Taylor, Transition Seminar Coordinator at (406) 243-6535 or mika.watanabe-taylor@umontana.edu.